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SUBJECT: MALIAN EXTERNAL DEBT REPAYMENT

1. AN EMBASSY EMPLOYEE REPORTS THAT A MALIAN OFFICIAL WITH WHOM HE HAS DEALT REGULARLY CONFIDED TO HIM SOME DETAILS ON HOW MALI REPAYS ITS AID LOANS. THE OFFICIAL SAID THAT MALI ALWAYS PAID ITS DEBTS TO THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER WESTERN LENDERS ON TIME, AND ADDED THAT THE TERMS WERE REASONABLE AND THE AMOUNTS WERE WITHIN GOM'S MEANS. OUR EMPLOYEE ASKED IF THEY ALSO PAID BACK THE RUSSIAN LOANS. THE MALIAN SAID NO, THEY DID NOT EVEN TRY. THE RUSSIANS WERE CONTINUALLY DUNNING THE MALIANS AND, SAID THE OFFICIAL, HAD JUST PRESENTED A DEMAND FOR A \$6 MILLION REPAYMENT.

2. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION ABOUT REPAYMENT OF CHINESE LOANS, THE OFFICIAL SAID THAT MALI DID NOT REPAY THEM EITHER, BUT THE CHINESE ONLY ASKED ONCE AFTER PRESENTING THE BILL AND THEN SAID NO MORE.

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